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Regional Freedom of Information Officer U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 6 1445 Ross Avenue (6MD-OE) Dallas, TX 75202-2733

Dear Sir or Madam:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, I hereby request a copy of all documents and records assessing, examining, or discussing the local geology in Parker County, Texas as it relates to Steven and Shyla Lipskys' claim that natural gas production activities caused the contamination of their Parker County water well. My request includes, but is not limited to, documents and records that were created by, created at the direction of, sent to, requested by, or obtained by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency or its representatives. My request also includes, but is not limited to, any documents or records that discuss, comment on, or analyze documents assessing, examining, or discussing the local geology in Parker County, Texas.

In lieu of paper documents, I would prefer to coordinate electronic transfer or download of responsive documents with your office. Please contact me at the e-mail address or phone number above to coordinate electronic delivery of responsive documents.

If any expenses in excess of \$1,000 are incurred in connection with this request, please obtain my approval before any such charges are incurred.

I request a response within 20 working days as provided by law. If my request is denied in whole or in part, I request a detailed justification for withholding the records. I also request any segregable portions that are not exempt to be disclosed.

Thank you in advance for your kind attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

Andrew D Sime

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